



Proposed Code Change

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Code 52.4.3-09

INSTRUCTIONS:

Only *TYPED* copy accepted.

(KEY – *Dashed line through material to be deleted, underline material to be added*)

Use second sheet for any material requiring more space.

Code Title 2009 Indiana Residential Code		Edition First Edition
Section number and title M1305.1.4.1 Ground clearance		Page 1 of 1
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Address 220 W Van Buren St, Columbia City IN 46725		Phone 260-248-3111
PROPOSED CODE CHANGE (Check One)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change to read as follows <input type="checkbox"/> Add to read as follows <input type="checkbox"/> Delete and substitute as follows <input type="checkbox"/> Delete without substitution		
<p>M1305.1.4.1 Ground clearance. <i>Equipment</i> and <i>appliances</i> supported from the ground shall be level and firmly supported on a concrete slab or other <i>approved</i> material extending not less than <u>3 1½</u> inches (76mm) above the adjoining ground. Such support shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions. <i>Appliances</i> suspended from the floor shall have a clearance of not less than 6 inches (152 mm) from the ground.</p>		
REASON		
<p>Brings forward amendment from the current code. This section was changed to allow the most common equipment pads on the market which are less than 3" in height and recognizes that most equipment has supports built in to the bottom of the equipment</p>		
Fiscal impact: no increase to the cost of construction.		
REVIEW RECOMMENDATION		
Approve		
Disapprove		
Approve as amended		

Further Study